

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: _____

DEFINITION OF SPECIALIZED SERVICES

I. Specialized Services Definition

A. For Mental Illness

Inpatient psychiatric treatment for an acute episode of mental illness, to be provided in a state or private hospital psychiatric unit. The treatment is directed toward stabilization and restoration of the level of functioning that preceded the acute episode.

B. For Mental Retardation and Related Conditions

Aggressive, consistent implementation of an intensive program of training and related services, designed by qualified mental retardation professions or specialists in related conditions, and directed toward the acquisition of behaviors necessary for the client to function with habilitation services of lesser intensity, or to prevent regression or loss of current functional status.

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